

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: David P. Ress et al.

Examiner: Pablo R. Ovando

Serial No. 10/742,324

Art Unit: 2609

Filed: 12/19/2003

For: **METERING IN PACKET-BASED TELEPHONY NETWORKS**

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

PO Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 8, 2007**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 8, 2007, Applicant offers the following amendments and remarks. Applicant encloses a payment in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee associated with a One-month Extension of Time and requests that this be considered a petition therefor. If any additional fees are required in association with this response, the Director is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 50-1732, and consider this a petition therefor.